Executive Proclamation State of South Dakota Office of the Governor

Whereas, Chief Warrant Officer Reata M. Weyrich's dedication to service has made her a valuable asset to this state and country; and,

Whereas, We have very few occasions to recognize the patriotic individuals for their service to this state and country; and,

Whereas, Chief Weyrich devoted more than 26 years of her life to the service of this state and country as a soldier and leader in the South Dakota Army National Guard and at the 196th Regiment; and,

Whereas, Her loyalty and leadership have made her a cornerstone in the Armed Forces of this country; and,

Whereas, Chief Warrant Officer Weyrich continues to give of herself; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to commend Chief Warrant Officer Reata M. Weyrich for more than 26 years of dedicated and outstanding service to this state and country:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 26, 2006, as

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in South Dakota, and I join with her family and friends in wishing her well in her retirement and thanking her for her service to the state of South Dakota and to the United States.

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In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-second day of February in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Six.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

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Chris Nelson, Secretary of State